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In the **PATENT APPLICATION** of:

Schwartz et al.

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RESPONSE PURSUANT TO 37 CFR § 1.111

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Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

This Reply is being timely filed in response to the Office Action dated May 20, 2005 and is submitted in conjunction with an appropriate petition for extension of time.

Please amend the application without prejudice or disclaimer as follows: